DRUG ENFORCEMENT SECTION

CAMPAIGN AGAINST MARIJUANA PLANTING PROGRAM (CAMP)

Program Description

The Department of Justice' Campaign Against Marijuana Planting (CAMP) Program is a law enforcement task force comprised of multiple federal, state and local agencies expressly organized to help eradicate marijuana plants throughout the state. Eradication teams along with four contracted helicopters supplement 48 county sheriff's departments, the California State Parks, United States Forestry Services and Bureau of Land Management to seek out and destroy any crops identified as marijuana.

Eligibility

Only the Department of Justice, Bureau of Narcotic Enforcement may apply.

Authorized By

Federal Justice Assistance Act and the California State Legislature Budget Act FY 2008/09

Fund Source and Amount

Federal Justice Assistance Grant Program -- \$64,800

Grant Award Period

July 1, 2008 - June 30, 2009

Next Competitive/Non Competitive Application Due Date

Non-competitive – June 2008

Additional Program Information

In addition to the manpower of various law enforcement agencies, this seasonal operation provides helicopter flight time for reconnaissance missions and eradication, team transport to eradication sites and marijuana plant removal from eradication sites.

Where Can I Get More Information?

This program is administered by the Drug Enforcement Section of the Drug and Counter Drug Branch of the Law Enforcement and Victim Services Division of OES at (916) 327-5664.